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25X1 3. [] LLM) In response to a request from Jim Calloway,
STATOTHR Senate Appropriations Committee staff, called Al Saunders, in the office of
STATOTHR Senator Hubert Humphrey, who said a former constituent, []
[] now of Southern Alabama University, had asked them to
STATOTHR intercede with us to have his name expunged from the roles of CIA. A
STATOTHR [] (supposedly of the Agency) had apparently contacted
[] to debrief him about his travels to Sweden. I explained our []
25X1A activity and said we would cut off any further contact, of course, but I
STATOTHR doubted we could expunge past contacts from the record. Saunders said
STATOTHR the mere cessation at our initiative would enable them to close out []
request. I told Saunders that our operating principle is to protect the identity
of our sources but that interestingly Senator Humphrey was sponsoring an
amendment to the Freedom of Information Act which will be considered on
25X1A the floor this afternoon which may hamper the Director's authority to afford
such protection. [] was advised and will follow up.

25X1 4. [] LLM) John Warner, General Counsel, reported
that Gordon Nease, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, had mentioned
his dismay over the nature of the information the Committee was receiving
from the Navy on Diego Garcia which is apparently different from the Agency's
analysis of the situation. Nease said he would place in normal channels a
request for an Agency briefing on this subject.

25X1 5. [] LLM) Attended a meeting at State Department with
representatives of INR and the FBI to review the next step in responding to
the Muskie Surveillance Subcommittee in light of the Attorney General's
25X1 recent session with Senators Muskie, Kennedy and Ervin. See Memo for Record.

25X1 6. [] LLM) Met with Clark McFadden, General Counsel,
Senate Armed Services Committee, concerning the vote on the Muskie amendment
to the Freedom of Information Act today and in several sessions with him provided
material which was used by Senator Stennis in connection with his arguments on
the floor in opposition to the amendment and supporting the compromise in camera
court review in order to protect national security and intelligence secrets.

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